

# Cartesian Products over Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type

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**ABSTRACT:** The Intuitionistic Fuzzy Set (IFS) based on fuzzy theory, which is of high efficiency to solve the fuzzy problem, has been introduced by Atanassov. Subsequently, he published the research one step further from the IFS to the Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets (IVIFS). On the basis of fuzzy set (FS), the IFS are a generalization concept. And the IFS are generalized to the IVIFS. In this paper, we introduce the Cartesian products over Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of second type and we prove some equality based on the operations, operators and the relation over IVIFSST.

**KEYWORDS:** Fuzzy Sets, Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets, Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type, Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets, Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

In 1983, Atanassov [1] introduced the notion of Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets (IFS) in which he has taken non-membership grade along with membership grade in defining IFS. In certain situation, the membership value alone may not be sufficient to determine the nature of events and non-membership also may be relevance. Such situations are better handled by the IFS theory developed by Atanassov.

Atanassov and Gargov (1989) [2] has introduced the Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Set (IVIFS), which is a generalization of the IFS. The fundamental characteristic of the IVIFS is that the values of its membership function and non membership function are intervals rather than exact numbers. Atanassov has defined many operators, identities, relations and different types of distance measures over IVIFS.

The present authors further introduced the new extension of IVIFS namely Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type (IVIFSST) and established some of their properties [3]. The rest of the paper is designed as follows: In Section 2, provides some basic definitions. In Section 3, we have introduced the Cartesian products over Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type and

establish some of their properties.

## 2. PRELIMINARIES

In this section, we give some basic definitions. **Definition 2.1[1]** Let  $X$  be a nonempty set. An Intuitionistic Fuzzy Set (IFS)  $A$  in  $X$  is defined as an object of the following form.

$$A = \{ \langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}$$

Where the functions  $\mu_A: X \rightarrow [0,1]$  and  $\nu_A: X \rightarrow [0,1]$  denote the degree of membership and the degree of non-membership of the element  $x \in X$ , respectively, and for every  $x \in X$ .

$$0 \leq \mu_A(x) + \nu_A(x) \leq 1$$

**Definition 2.2 [1]** Let a set  $X$  be fixed. An Intuitionistic Fuzzy Set of Second Type (IFSST)  $A$  in  $X$  is defined as an object of the following form.

$$A = \{ \langle x, \mu_A(x), \nu_A(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}$$

where the functions  $\mu_A: X \rightarrow [0,1]$  and  $\nu_A: X \rightarrow [0,1]$  denote the degree of membership and the degree of non-membership of the element  $x \in X$ , respectively, and for every  $x \in X$ .

$$0 \leq \mu_A^2(x) + \nu_A^2(x) \leq 1$$

**Definition 2.3 [2]** An Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets (IVIFS)  $A$  in  $X$  is given by

$$A = \{ \langle x, M_A(x), N_A(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}$$

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where  $M_A : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ ,  $N_A : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ . The intervals  $M_A(x)$  and  $N_A(x)$  denote the degree of membership and the degree of non-membership of the element  $x$  in  $X$ , where  $M_A(x) = [M_{AL}(x), M_{AU}(x)]$  and  $N_A(x) = [N_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x)]$  with the condition that

$$M_{AU}(x) + N_{AU}(x) \leq 1 \quad \forall x \in X$$

**Definition 2.4 [3]** An Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type (IVIFSST)  $A$  in  $X$  is given by

$$A = \{ \langle x, M_A(x), N_A(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}$$

where  $M_A : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ ,  $N_A : X \rightarrow [0,1]$ . The intervals  $M_A(x)$  and  $N_A(x)$  denote the degree of membership and the degree of non-membership of the element  $x$  in  $X$ , where  $M_A(x) = [M_{AL}(x), M_{AU}(x)]$  and  $N_A(x) = [N_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x)]$  with the condition that

$$M^2_{AU}(x) + N^2_{AU}(x) \leq 1 \quad \forall x \in X.$$

**Definition 2.5 [3, 4]** For every two IVIFSST  $A$  and  $B$ , we have the following relations and operations

1.  $\bar{A} = \{ \langle x, [N_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x)], [M_{AL}(x), M_{AU}(x)] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$
2.  $A \cup B = \{ \langle x, [\max(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(x)), \max(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(x))], [\min(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(x)), \min(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(x))] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$
3.  $A \cap B = \{ \langle x, [\min(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(x)), \min(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(x))], [\max(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(x)), \max(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(x))] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$
4.  $A + B = \{ \langle x, [M^2_{AL}(x) + M^2_{BL}(x) - M^2_{AL}(x) \cdot M^2_{BL}(x), M^2_{AU}(x) + M^2_{BU}(x) - M^2_{AU}(x) \cdot M^2_{BU}(x)], [N^2_{AL}(x)N^2_{BL}(x), N^2_{AU}(x)N^2_{BU}(x)] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$
5.  $A \cdot B = \{ \langle x, [M^2_{AL}(x)M^2_{BL}(x), M^2_{AU}(x)M^2_{BU}(x)], [N^2_{AL}(x) + N^2_{BL}(x) - N^2_{AL}(x)N^2_{BL}(x), N^2_{AU}(x) + N^2_{BU}(x) - N^2_{AU}(x)N^2_{BU}(x)] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$

**Definition 2.6 [5]** For every IVIFSST, we have the following

Necessity operator

$$\Box A = \{ \langle x, [M_{AL}(x), M_{AU}(x)], [N_{AL}(x), \sqrt{1 - M^2_{AU}(x)}] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$$

Possibility operator

$$\Diamond A = \{ \langle x, [M_{AL}(x), \sqrt{1 - N^2_{AU}(x)}], [N_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x)] \rangle \mid x \in X \}$$

**Definition 2.7 [6]** Let  $X$  be a non-empty set and for every IVIFSST  $A$ , we have four operators which map an IFS to an IVIFSST as follows

$$\begin{aligned} *_1 A &= \{ \langle x, M_{AL}(x), N_{AL}(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}, \\ *_2 A &= \{ \langle x, M_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}, \\ *_3 A &= \{ \langle x, M_{AU}(x), N_{AL}(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}, \\ *_4 A &= \{ \langle x, M_{AU}(x), N_{AU}(x) \rangle \mid x \in X \}. \end{aligned}$$

### 3. Cartesian products over interval valued intuitionistic fuzzy sets of second type

In this section, we define the Cartesian Products over Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type (IVIFSST) and also we establish some of their properties.

**Definition 3.1** The five Cartesian products of two IVIFSSTs,  $A$  over  $X$  and  $B$  over  $Y$  are define as follows:

(i) The Cartesian product " $\times_1$ "

$$A \times_1 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M^2_{AL}(x) \cdot M^2_{BL}(y), M^2_{AU}(x) \cdot M^2_{BU}(y)], [N^2_{AL}(x) \cdot N^2_{BL}(y), N^2_{AU}(x) \cdot N^2_{BU}(y)] \rangle \mid x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

(ii) The Cartesian product " $\times_2$ "

$$A \times_2 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M^2_{AL}(x) + M^2_{BL}(y) - M^2_{AL}(x) \cdot M^2_{BL}(y), M^2_{AU}(x) + M^2_{BU}(y) - M^2_{AU}(x) \cdot M^2_{BU}(y)], [N^2_{AL}(x) \cdot N^2_{BL}(y), N^2_{AU}(x) \cdot N^2_{BU}(y)] \rangle \mid x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

(iii) The Cartesian product " $\times_3$ "

$$A \times_3 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M^2_{AL}(x) \cdot M^2_{BL}(y), M^2_{AU}(x) \cdot M^2_{BU}(y)], [N^2_{AL}(x) + N^2_{BL}(y) - N^2_{AL}(x) \cdot N^2_{BL}(y), N^2_{AU}(x) + N^2_{BU}(y) - N^2_{AU}(x) \cdot N^2_{BU}(y)] \rangle \mid x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

(iv) The Cartesian product " $\times_4$ "

$$A \times_4 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [\min(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(y)), \min(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(y))], [\max(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(y)), \max(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(y))] | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

(v) The Cartesian product " $\times_5$ "

$$A \times_5 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [\max(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(y)), \max(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(y))], [\min(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(y)), \min(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(y))] | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

**Theorem 3.1** Let X be a non-empty set. For every two IVIFSSTs A and B and for  $1 \leq i \leq 4$ , we have the following

- (i)  $*_i (A \times_1 B) = *_i A \times_1 *_i B$ ,
- (ii)  $*_i (A \times_2 B) = *_i A \times_2 *_i B$ ,
- (iii)  $*_i (A \times_3 B) = *_i A \times_3 *_i B$ .

Proof: (i) First we prove the result for  $i = 1$

Let

$$A = \{ \langle x, [M_{AL}(x), M_{AU}(x)], [N_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x)] \rangle | x \in X \}$$

$$B = \{ \langle y, [M_{BL}(y), M_{BU}(y)], [N_{BL}(y), N_{BU}(y)] \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

then,

$$A \times_1 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x).M_{BL}^2(y), M_{AU}^2(x).M_{BU}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x).N_{BL}^2(y), N_{AU}^2(x).N_{BU}^2(y)] \rangle | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

Apply the operator  $*_1$  in  $A \times_1 B$  we have

$$*_1 (A \times_1 B) = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x).M_{BL}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x).N_{BL}^2(y)] \rangle | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

by the definition

$$*_1 A = \{ \langle x, M_{AL}(x), N_{AL}(x) \rangle | x \in X \} \text{ and }$$

$$*_1 B = \{ \langle y, M_{BL}(y), N_{BL}(y) \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

then

$$*_1 A \times_1 *_1 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x).M_{BL}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x).N_{BL}^2(y)] \rangle | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

from equation (1) and (2) we have

$$*_1 (A \times_1 B) = *_1 A \times_1 *_1 B$$

Similarly for  $i = 2, 3$  & 4 we have

$$*_2 (A \times_1 B) = *_2 A \times_1 *_2 B,$$

$$*_3 (A \times_1 B) = *_3 A \times_1 *_3 B,$$

$$*_4 (A \times_1 B) = *_4 A \times_1 *_4 B.$$

(ii) First we prove the result for  $i = 2$

$$A \times_2 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x) + M_{BL}^2(y) - M_{AL}^2(x).M_{BL}^2(y), M_{AU}^2(x) + M_{BU}^2(y) - M_{AU}^2(x).M_{BU}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x).N_{BL}^2(y), N_{AU}^2(x).N_{BU}^2(y)] \rangle | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

Apply the operator  $*_2$  in  $A \times_2 B$  we have

$$*_2 (A \times_2 B) = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x) + M_{BL}^2(y) - M_{AL}^2(x).M_{BL}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x).N_{BL}^2(y), N_{AU}^2(x).N_{BU}^2(y)] \rangle | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

by the definition

$$*_2 A = \{ \langle x, M_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x) \rangle | x \in X \} \text{ and }$$

$$*_2 B = \{ \langle y, M_{BL}(y), N_{BU}(y) \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

then

$$*_2 A \times_2 *_2 B = \{ \langle \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x) + M_{BL}^2(y) - M_{AL}^2(x).M_{BL}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x).N_{BL}^2(y), N_{AU}^2(x).N_{BU}^2(y)] \rangle | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots\dots\dots (4)$$

from equation (3) and (4) we have

$$*_2 (A \times_2 B) = *_2 A \times_2 *_2 B$$

Similarly for  $i = 1, 3$  & 4 we have

$$*_1 (A \times_2 B) = *_1 A \times_2 *_1 B,$$

$$*_3 (A \times_2 B) = *_3 A \times_2 *_3 B,$$

$$*_4 (A \times_2 B) = *_4 A \times_2 *_4 B.$$

(iii) First we prove the result for  $i = 3$

$$A \times_3 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AL}^2(x), M_{BL}^2(y), M_{AU}^2(x), M_{BU}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x) + N_{BL}^2(y) - N_{AL}^2(x) \cdot N_{BL}^2(y), N_{AU}^2(x) + N_{BU}^2(y) - N_{AU}^2(x) \cdot N_{BU}^2(y)] | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

Apply the operator  $*_3$  in  $A \times_3 B$  we have

$$*_3 (A \times_3 B) = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AU}^2(x), M_{BU}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x) + N_{BL}^2(y) - N_{AL}^2(x) \cdot N_{BL}^2(y)] | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots \dots \dots (5)$$

by the definition

$$*_3 A = \{ \langle x, M_{AU}(x), N_{AL}(x) \rangle | x \in X \} \text{ and } \\ *_3 B = \{ \langle y, M_{BU}(y), N_{BL}(y) \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

then

$$*_3 A \times_3 *_3 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [M_{AU}^2(x), M_{BU}^2(y)], [N_{AL}^2(x) + N_{BL}^2(y) - N_{AL}^2(x) \cdot N_{BL}^2(y)] | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots \dots \dots (6)$$

from equation (5) and (6) we have

$$*_3 (A \times_3 B) = *_3 A \times_3 *_3 B$$

Similarly for  $i = 1, 2$  &  $4$  we have

$$*_1 (A \times_3 B) = *_1 A \times_3 *_1 B, \\ *_2 (A \times_3 B) = *_2 A \times_3 *_2 B, \\ *_4 (A \times_3 B) = *_4 A \times_3 *_4 B.$$

**Theorem 3.2** Let  $X$  be a non-empty set. For every two IVIFSSTs  $A$  and  $B$  and for  $1 \leq i \leq 4$ , we have the following

- (i)  $*_i (A \times_4 B) = *_i A \times_4 *_i B$ ,
- (ii)  $*_i (A \times_5 B) = *_i A \times_5 *_i B$ .

Proof: (i) First we prove the result for  $i = 4$

Let

$$A = \{ \langle x, [M_{AL}(x), M_{AU}(x)], [N_{AL}(x), N_{AU}(x)] \rangle | x \in X \} \\ B = \{ \langle y, [M_{BL}(y), M_{BU}(y)], [N_{BL}(y), N_{BU}(y)] \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

then,

$$A \times_4 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [\min(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(y)), \min(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(y))], [\max(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(y)), \max(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(y))] | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

Apply the operator  $*_4$  in  $A \times_4 B$  we have

$$*_4 (A \times_4 B) = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, \min(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(y)), \max(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(y)) | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots \dots \dots (7)$$

by the definition

$$*_4 A = \{ \langle x, M_{AU}(x), N_{AU}(x) \rangle | x \in X \} \text{ and } \\ *_4 B = \{ \langle y, M_{BU}(y), N_{BU}(y) \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

Then

$$*_4 A \times_4 *_4 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, \min(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(y)), \max(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(y)) | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots \dots \dots (8)$$

from equation (7) and (8) we have

$$*_4 (A \times_4 B) = *_4 A \times_4 *_4 B$$

Similarly for  $i = 1, 2$  &  $3$  we have

$$*_1 (A \times_4 B) = *_1 A \times_4 *_1 B, \\ *_2 (A \times_4 B) = *_2 A \times_4 *_2 B, \\ *_3 (A \times_4 B) = *_3 A \times_4 *_3 B$$

(ii) First we prove the result for  $i = 5$

$$A \times_5 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [\max(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(y)), \max(M_{AU}(x), M_{BU}(y))], [\min(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(y)), \min(N_{AU}(x), N_{BU}(y))] | x \in X, y \in Y \}$$

Apply the operator  $*_1$  in  $A \times_5 B$  we have

$$*_1 (A \times_5 B) = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [\max(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(y))], [\min(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(y))] | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots \dots \dots (9)$$

by the definition

$$*_1 A = \{ \langle x, M_{AL}(x), N_{AL}(x) \rangle | x \in X \} \text{ and } \\ *_1 B = \{ \langle y, M_{BL}(y), N_{BL}(y) \rangle | y \in Y \}$$

then

$$*_1 A \times_5 *_1 B = \{ \langle x, y \rangle, [\max(M_{AL}(x), M_{BL}(y))], [\min(N_{AL}(x), N_{BL}(y))] | x \in X, y \in Y \} \dots (10)$$

from equation (9) and (10) we have

$$*_1 (A \times_5 B) = *_1 A \times_5 *_1 B$$

Similarly for  $i = 2, 3$  & 4 we have

$$*_2 (A \times_5 B) = *_2 A \times_5 *_2 B,$$

$$*_3 (A \times_5 B) = *_3 A \times_5 *_3 B,$$

$$*_4 (A \times_5 B) = *_4 A \times_5 *_4 B.$$

## CONCLUSION

We have introduced the Cartesian products over Interval Valued Intuitionistic Fuzzy Sets of Second Type also we established some of their

properties. It is still open to define some more operators over IVIFSST.

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